



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 03806.0590-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Swen HÖLDER et al.) Group Art Unit: 1624
Application No.: 10/715,556) Examiner: Kahsay HABTE
Filed: November 19, 2003) Confirmation No.: 5066
For: NOVEL PYRIDAZINONE DERIVATIVES)
AS PHARMACEUTICALS AND)
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS)
CONTAINING THEM)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office action
of October 24, 2005. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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